

NEW YORK STOCKS
DULL, WEAK, LOWERAbsence of Shorts and Much
Profit-Taking Responsible for Slump.

DAY'S DECLINES

Southern Pacific.....	1 1/2
St. Paul.....	1/2
Union Pacific.....	1/2
Copper.....	1
Car Foundry.....	1
Smelter.....	1
Tobacco.....	1/2
Anaconda.....	1/2
General Electric.....	1/2
Steel.....	1/2
Steel preferred.....	1/2
New York Central.....	1/2
Northern Pacific.....	1/2
Pennsylvania.....	1/2
Reading.....	1/2
Rock Island.....	1/2
Atchafalpa.....	1/2
Atlantic Coast.....	1/2
Baito. & Ohio.....	1/2
Canadian Pacific.....	1/2
Ches. & Ohio.....	1/2
Del. & Hudson.....	1/2
Illinois Central.....	1/2
Great Northern.....	1/2

NEW YORK, April 30.—The leaders were of the opinion that the reaction yesterday afternoon was a good thing for the stock market. That the trading totaled 1,000,000 shares was an evidence of the enlargement of buying induced by the up-turn in prices. One of the things most noticeable in the market today is the absence of any short interest. The bears have been completely side-tracked, have covered, taken their losses, and quit for the time being, having dropped some of their profits of the campaign last fall and winter. The belief that there were many commission houses short of customers' stocks, helped the advance not a little, coupled with the buying back process.

With the bears out, it will be necessary for the financial interests that have unquestionably distributed much stock on the high prices to turn again and give the market some support else there will be a reaction. They will probably hold it until the Union Pacific financing is over, but there will be reactions here and there in the list.

At the opening this morning the market presented a firm front and there were numerous predictions of higher prices. Some stocks were easier. St. Paul and Northern Pacific were a point off. Soon after the start there was a sharp up-turn, carrying St. Paul to 129, a gain of a point on last night's close, then back to 128 1/2. Union Pacific sold to 127 1/2 from an opening at 126 1/2, and then back to 126 1/2. Great Northern probably held its own, trading actively and advanced to 110 1/2, and set back to 110. Smelter gained a point and lost it. Copper was soft. The Steels were 1/2% lower. Cotton oil was strong, and Manhattan gained a point. The rest of the list passed through the morning with comparative few changes, and at the noon hour stocks were resting easily with indications of lower figures.

Entering on the noon hour and well into the second hour of the afternoon the market became very dull, and the declines extended throughout the entire list, almost without exception. These losses extended to 1/2% for Steel, Copper, Smelter, Manhattan, Southern Pacific, Reading, Great Northern, St. Paul, and other stocks, and to 1/4% on Illinois Central, Pennsylvania, Northern Pacific, and Union Pacific. Delaware and Hudson was 1/2% lower.

Dullness was the feature of the market in the afternoon, and the chances favored a much softer closing. The market continued to ease off as the session drew to a close, and the declines were nearly a point all around with some even more severe breaks. The display of weakness induced much profit taking on stocks that were bought earlier in the week. The close was weak and grinding on the bottom.

QUOTATIONS FOR TODAY
ON NEW YORK EXCHANGE

(Quotations furnished by W. B. Hibbs & Co., bankers and brokers, Hibbs Building, members New York Stock Exchange, Washington Stock Exchange and Chicago Board of Trade.)

Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Am. Copper.....	69 1/2	69 1/2	69 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar.....	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Am. Can. Co. pf.....	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2
Am. Car. & Foundry.....	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
Am. Cotton Oil.....	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Am. Ice Sec.....	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Am. Loco.....	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Amer. Locomotive, pf.....	109	109	109
Amer. Smelting.....	72 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2
Amer. Smelting, pf.....	91 1/2	91 1/2	91 1/2
Amer. Sugar.....	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
Amer. Tobacco pf.....	91 1/2	91 1/2	91 1/2
Anaconda.....	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Atch. & P. S. Fe.....	79 1/2	79 1/2	79 1/2
Atlantic Coast Line.....	83	83	83
Baltimore & Ohio.....	80 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2
Brooklyn Rap. T.....	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
Can. Pac.....	156 1/2	156 1/2	156 1/2
Cent. Leath. Co.....	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Cent. Leath. pf.....	90 1/2	90 1/2	90 1/2
Ches. & Ohio.....	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
Chi. Great West.....	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Chi. M. & St. P.....	127 1/2	127 1/2	127 1/2
Chi. & N. W.....	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
Col. Fuel & Iron.....	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Col. South.....	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
C. & H. C. & L.....	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Con. Gas.....	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
Corn Prods. Co.....	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
Corn Prods. pf.....	69 1/2	69 1/2	69 1/2
Del. & Hudson.....	139	139	139
Denver & Rio G.....	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Distillers Securities.....	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
Eric.....	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Eric, 1st pf.....	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
Gr. Northern.....	110 1/2	110 1/2	110 1/2
Gr. Northern, pf.....	127 1/2	127 1/2	127 1/2
Illinois Central.....	110 1/2	110 1/2	110 1/2
Inter. Metro.....	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Inter. Metro, pf.....	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
K. C. Southern.....	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2
Louis. & Nash.....	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Mackay Cos. pf.....	65 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2
Mexican Central.....	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
M. E. & T. Co.....	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Mo. Kan. & Tex. pf.....	58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2
Missouri Pacific.....	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
National Biscuit Co.....	64 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2
National Lead.....	55 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2
New York Central.....	100 1/2	100 1/2	100 1/2
N. Y. Chl. & St. L.....	36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2
N. Y. Ont. & West.....	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Norfolk & West.....	65 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2
Norfolk, pf.....	131 1/2	131 1/2	131 1/2
Pennsylvania.....	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
Peoples Gas of Chl.....	91 1/2	91 1/2	91 1/2
Fresno Steel Car.....	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Ry. Steel Spring Co.....	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
Reading.....	106 1/2	106 1/2	106 1/2
Rep. Iron & Steel.....	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Rep. I. & S. pf.....	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2
Rock Island.....	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Rock Island, pf.....	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
U. S. Rubber, pf.....	83	83	83
U. S. Steel.....	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2

Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
S. L. & S. F., 2d pf.....	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
St. Louis Sugar.....	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
Southern Pacific.....	79 1/2	79 1/2	79 1/2
Southern Ry.....	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Southern Ry, pf.....	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
Tennessee.....	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Tol. St. L. & W. pf.....	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
Union Pacific.....	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
Union Pacific, pf.....	89 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2
U. S. Rubber.....	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
U. S. Steel pf.....	101 1/2	101 1/2	101 1/2
Utah Copper.....	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Va. Car. Chem. Co.....	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Wabash.....	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2
Wabash, pf.....	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
Western Union.....	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
West Elec. Man.....	55 1/2	55 1/2	55 1/2
Wisconsin Central pf.....	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
Woolen Goods.....	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2

Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Am. Tobacco.....	71 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2
Am. Tobacco, 6's.....	105 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2
Brook. Rapid Trans.....	72 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2
Int. Met. Co.....	64 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2
Rock Island.....	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2
U. S. Steel.....	97 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2
Union Conv. 4's.....	87 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2

THE CURB MARKET.

(Quotations furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., members New York Stock Exchange, 1201 F street northwest.)

Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Bute Coalition.....	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Chicago Subway.....	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Cumberland Ely.....	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2
Dominion Copper.....	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Goldfield Cons.....	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Greene Cananea.....	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2
Nevada Consol.....	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Nipissing Mining.....	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Standard Oil.....	60 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2
Tri-Billion.....	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2
Yukon.....	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2

NEW YORK, April 30.—There was a further improvement in the cotton market at the opening, helped by bullish cables, and first prices here were 12 to 21 points higher. At the advance, however, profit-taking occurred on a liberal scale, checking the up-turn. The temperatures in the South were lower, and later on the price again advanced. One o'clock figures: May, 8.50; July, 8.60; October, 8.55.

TOMORROW'S ENTRIES
AT PIMLICO TRACK

PIMLICO, Md., April 30.—Pimlico entries for tomorrow:

First race—Maiden; two-year-olds; four and one-half furlongs. Chicago, 107; Dilexy, 107; Nutmeg, 107; Flat Creek, 107; Pocatello, 107; Nanticoke, 107; Alice Navarre, 107; Princess Marion, 107; Helen Hills, 107; Greenhow, 107; Prefire, 107; Dersingham, 107.

Second race—Three-year-olds and upward; one mile. Glivedear, 104; Servile, 104; Desiderator, 104; Clements, 111; J. J. F. Bird, 104; Fancy Bird, 104; Listerine, 104; Miss Mazzoni, 86; Killochan, 108.

Third race—Clabough Memorial Cup; two-year-olds; four and one-half furlongs. Oxford, 102; Indian Hunter, 102; Canning, 112; Conflict, 105; Cheek, 107; Hawkwing, 110; Al Busch, 115; Underneath, 102; Billy Baldwin, 105.

Fourth race—Steeplechase; four-year-olds and upward; about two miles. Tanner, 122; Bettie Landon, 130; Bella Calla, 132; Eric, 132; Bloodstone, 141; Lizzie Flat, 130; George Leiper, 146.

Fifth race—Three-year-olds and up; selling; five and one-half furlongs. Lawless, 100; Guardia, 82; Apple Today, 89; Ida Beck, 97; Royal Onyx, 87; Paul, 87; Botanist, 114; Conney K., 109; Billie Hibbs, 102; Simple Honours, 114; Firebrand, 109; Es-cutech, 112.

Sixth race—Four-year-olds and up; mile and sixty yards. Battle Axe, 109; Consistent, 104; Ontario, 106; Sugar Boy, 105; Eye High, 105; Meredith, 105; High Jumper, 106; Weirsome, 106; Sheridan, 107; Josie Hampton, 101; Affinity, 106; Ottomano, 103; Emihola, 101.

Seventh race—Three-year-olds and upward; selling; five and one-half furlongs. "Superstition, 92; Baby Willie, 102; Donna Mobile, 92; Youthful, 97; High Kicker, 90; Ornamentation, 93; Hall Cloud, 104; L'Amour, 99; Yaddo, 102; Tuckernuck, 104; Hoot Mon, 104; Little Wabash, 104.

*Apprentice allowance.

Weather cloudy; track fast.

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FROM ORIENTAL NINE

The Brewoods defeated the Orientals in two games Monday and Wednesday, the scores being 8 to 5 and 11 to 2.

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PLAYER DROPS DEAD
WITH HAND OF TRUMPS

MUSKEGON, Mich., April 30.—A full hand of trumps brought death to Mrs. William Ward, of North Muskegon, in a game of cards.

Mrs. Ward was visiting at a friend's home and was engaged in a game of cards. She was studying her hand when she suddenly dropped it and fell back in her chair unconscious. She had suffered a fatal stroke of apoplexy. Every card in her hand was a heart, which was trumps.

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Local securities did not slump in sympathy with the break in New York, for the reason that there is no sympathy between them. Washington investments are standing squarely on their own bottom these days, and the buying is of the kind that takes the stocks out of the market and largely by interests identified with both traction companies.

Capital Traction bonds are pegged down at 110 1/2, no more, no less, with sales today of \$25,000, the heaviest transaction that has been recorded for many a day. Bond after bond was taken and then three lots of \$10,000, \$10,000, and \$10,000, showed the confidence of Washington capitalists in these high-grade issues.

The bonds of the Washington Railway and Electric Company are rather scarce, the floating supply having been absorbed in the late buying, but one \$5,000 lot sold today at 81 1/2.

Washington Railway preferred opened strong at 82, sold to 82 1/2, with a close at 82 1/2.

Gas strong but nominal, 67 bid, 68 asked.

Washington Railway directors are enthusiastic over the trip to Baltimore and Annapolis yesterday. A speed of sixty-eight miles an hour was made on one section of the road, "without more jar or vibration than one would feel on a Pennsylvania train."

TODAY'S STOCK PRICES
ON WASHINGTON EXCHANGE

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\$1.25 Special.....1.25

\$1.75 Special.....1.75

\$2.00 Special.....2.00

\$2.50 Special.....2.50

Men's \$2.50 High Shoes and Oxfords and Kid Blucher and Lace.....\$1.98

Men's \$3.50 Oxfords and Shoes, Pat. Russia Calif. and Vici Blucher Button.....\$2.50

Men's 4, 5, 6 Oxfords, Button Blucher, Lace, Russia Calif. Pat., and Vici.....\$3.50

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Washington Gas 4's.....90 1/2 101	RAILROAD BONDS	Cap. Tract. R. R. 5's.....109 1/2 110 1/2
Anacostia and Pot. 5's.....97 102	Columbia R. R. 5's.....101 1/2 105	Columbia R. R. 6's.....107 1/2 107 1/2
Met. R. R. 5's.....107 1/2 108 1/2	Wash. Ry. & Elec. 4's.....80 1/2 81 1/2	MISCELLANEOUS BONDS
Potomac Elec. L. 5's.....102 1/2 104 1/2	N. & W. Steamboat 5's.....102 1/2 103 1/2	C. & P. Telephone 5's.....102 1/2 103 1/2
Wash. Market 5's 1907.....106 106	Wash. Market 5's 1907.....106 106	PUBLIC UTILITY STOCKS
Capital Traction.....121 1/2 121 1/2	Wash. Ry. & Elec. Com.....32 1/2 35	Wash. Ry. & Elec. pf.....30 30
N. & W. Steamboat.....299 300	*Washington Gas.....67 68	*Bell Telephone of Pa.....90
TYPE MACHINE STOCKS	Mergenthaler Linotype.....193 1/2 193 1/2	Lanston Monotype.....8 1/2 8 1/2
MINING STOCKS	Greene Cananea.....8 8 1/2	Mitchell.....8 8 1/2
NATIONAL BANK STOCKS	American.....156 165	Capital.....175 175
City.....125 125	Columbia.....275 275	Commercial.....147